



**Human Relations Commission**  
Wednesday, February 10, 2010, 5:30 P.M.  
CWA Local 7000 Building, Conference Room  
877 S. Alvernon Way, Ste 100  
Tucson, Arizona 85701



**Legal Action Report**

**1. Call to Order/Roll Call**

Meeting called to order by Chair Broce at 5:43 p.m. Those present and absent were:

**Present:**

Victor Flores	Representative, Ward 1
Joe Yee	Representative, Ward 2
Maritza Broce	Representative, Ward 3
Yahya Yuksel	Representative, Ward 4 (departed at 6:34 p.m.)
<b>VACANT</b>	Representative, Ward 5
Sat Bir Khalsa	Representative, Ward 6 (arrived at 6:02 p.m.)
Alicia Calahorro	Representative, GLBT Commission

**Absent:**

Martha Taylor	Representative, Mayor's Office
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**Staff Members Present:**

Yolanda Lozano	City Clerk's Office, Recording Secretary
Draig Phillips	City Clerk's Office, Recording Secretary

**Others Present:**

Liana Perez, Director, Office of Equal Opportunity Programs  
Alison Colter-Mack, Manager, Office of Equal Opportunity Programs  
Tina Johnson, U.S. Census Bureau

**2. Call to the Audience**

There were no speakers.

**3. Presentation by Liana Perez, Director of the Office of Equal Opportunity Programs**

Ms. Perez spoke about the City of Tucson's non-discrimination policies. She gave an overview of Chapter 17 of the Tucson City Code that governs the citizen complaint process. Example cases were discussed laying out the processes involved and timelines. She indicated that the Commission could best help by giving referrals to citizens who could potentially benefit from OEOP services.

**4. Treasurer's Report**

Discussion held, no action taken.

**5. Subcommittee Reports and Discussion** – Chair Broce said dates needed to be set for all the subcommittees to meet.

- a. Education and Outreach: No discussion held.
- b. Community Resource Development: No discussion held.
- c. Awards Committee: No discussion held.
- d. Legislative/Policy Issues: No discussion held.

**6. Reports from Other Commissions**

- a. Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender (GLBT) Issues: Report given by Commissioners Calahorro and Khalsa.
- b. Anti-Hate Crime Task Force: Report given by Commissioner Khalsa.
- c. Tucson Civil Rights Coalition: Report given by Chair Broce.

**7. Census 2010 Update, Tina Johnson** - This item was taken out of order, and discussed after Item 3.

Ms. Johnson gave a presentation regarding the upcoming 2010 Census focusing on the benefits the City and region enjoy by every resident completing the questionnaire. She also mentioned that the Census Bureau was hiring and that the Commission could help by spreading the word and making referrals for presentations.

**8. Advisory Position Recruitment and Appointments**

Discussion held, no action taken.

**9. Chairman's Summary of Current Events – Information Only**

Report was given.

**10. Future Agenda Items - Information Only**

Peace Walk financial assistance request  
Presentation of a rough draft of the Commission PowerPoint  
Assistance Form with Mission Statement attachment  
A gathering of individuals who the Commission has funded

**11. Adjournment** – Meeting was adjourned at 7:02 p.m.